

instructions, Reid Amendment No. 4599 (the instructions on the motion to commit) fell. **Page S7052**

Reid Amendment No. 4601 (to Amendment No. 4600), of a perfecting nature, fell when Reid Amendment No. 4600 (to the instructions (Amendment No. 4599) of the motion to commit) fell.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at approximately 10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, September 15, 2010, and that the time during any period of morning business, recess, or adjournment count post-cloture.

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#### Measures Placed on the Calendar:

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**Record Votes:** Three record votes were taken today. (Total—233) **Page S7062**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:49 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, September 15, 2010. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7096.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense approved for full committee consideration an original bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 2011.

### RAPE IN THE UNITED STATES

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Crime and Drugs concluded a hearing to examine rape in the United States, focusing on the chronic failure to report and investigate rape cases, after receiving testimony from Susan B. Carbon, Director, Office on Violence Against Women, Department of Justice; Charles H. Ramsey, Philadelphia Police Department Commissioner, and Carol E. Tracy, Women's Law Project, both of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Scott Berkowitz, Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network (RAINN), Washington, D.C.; Lawanda Ravoira, National Council on Crime and Delinquency (NCCD) Center for Girls and Young Women, Jacksonville, Florida; Dean G. Kilpatrick, South Carolina Medical University, Charleston; Eleanor Cutri Smeal, Feminist Majority Foundation, Arlington, Virginia; Michelle Madden Dempsey, Villanova University School of Law, Villanova, Pennsylvania; Sara Reedy, Butler, Pennsylvania; and Julie Weil, Jupiter, Florida.

### IMPEACHMENT TRIAL: PORTEOUS

*Impeachment Trial Committee (Porteous):* Committee continued hearings to examine the Articles Against Judge G. Thomas Porteous, Jr, after receiving testimony from Charles Gardner Geyh, Indiana University Maurer School of Law, Bloomington; Rafael Goyeneche, Metropolitan Crime Commission, and Louis Marcotte, both of New Orleans, Louisiana; Lori Marcotte, Gretna, Louisiana; Jeffrey Duhon, Metairie, Louisiana; and Aubrey Wallace, Algiers, Louisiana.

Committee will meet again on Wednesday, September 15.

### INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on certain intelligence matters from officials of the intelligence community.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 18 public bills, H.R. 6107–6124; 1 private bill, H.R. 6125; and 11 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 315–316; and H. Res. 1610–1618 were introduced. **Pages H6681–82**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H6683–85**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 4785, to amend the miscellaneous rural development provisions of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to make loans to certain entities that will use the funds to make loans to consumers to implement energy efficiency measures involving

structural improvements and investments in cost-effective, commercial off-the-shelf technologies to reduce home energy use, with amendments (H. Rept. 111–585, Pt. 1);

H.R. 2853, to require the purchase of domestically made flags of the United States of America for use by the Federal Government, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–586); S. 2868, to provide increased access to the General Services Administration's Schedules Program by the American Red Cross and State and local governments, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–587);

H.R. 5366, to require the proposal for debarment from contracting with the Federal Government of persons violating the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977 (H. Rept. 111–588);

H.R. 5282, to provide funds to the Army Corps of Engineers to hire veterans and members of the Armed Forces to assist the Corps with curation and historic preservation activities, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–589);

H.R. 5651, to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 515 9th Street in Rapid City, South Dakota, as the “Andrew W. Bogue Federal Building and United States Courthouse” (H. Rept. 111–590);

H.R. 5706, to designate the facility of the Government Printing Office located at 31451 East United Avenue in Pueblo, Colorado, as the “Frank Evans Government Printing Office Building”, with amendments (H. Rept. 111–591);

H.R. 5773, to designate the Federal building located at 6401 Security Boulevard in Baltimore, Maryland, as the “Robert M. Ball Federal Building”, with amendments (H. Rept. 111–592); and

H. Res. 1473, supporting backcountry airstrips and recreational aviation, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–593). **Pages H6680–81**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Richardson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H6629**

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

*Honoring the members of the Army National Guard and Air National Guard of the State of Oklahoma:* H. Res. 1052, to honor the members of the Army National Guard and Air National Guard of the State of Oklahoma for their service and sacrifice on behalf of the United States since September 11, 2001, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yea-and-nay vote of 378 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 519;

**Pages H6635–37, H6646–47**

*Recognizing and honoring the United States troops who gave their lives on D-Day at the Battle of Normandy:* H. Res. 1251, amended, to recognize

and honor the United States troops who gave their lives on D-Day at the Battle of Normandy;

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Agreed to amend the title so as to read: “Recognizing and honoring the American troops who gave their lives on D-Day at the Battle of Normandy.”.

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*Amending the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010:* H.R. 6102, to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010 to extend the authority of the Secretary of the Navy to enter into multiyear contracts for F/A–18E, F/A–18F, and EA–18G aircraft; **Pages H6639–40**

*Acknowledging and congratulating Miami Dade College on the occasion of its 50th anniversary:* H. Res. 1571, amended, to acknowledge and congratulate Miami Dade College on the occasion of its 50th anniversary of service to the students and residents of the State of Florida, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yea-and-nay vote of 378 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 520;

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*Commending and congratulating Michigan Technological University on the occasion of its 125th anniversary:* H. Res. 1564, to commend and congratulate Michigan Technological University on the occasion of its 125th anniversary; **Pages H6642–43**

*Commending the University of Southern California Trojan men's tennis team:* H. Res. 1480, to commend the University of Southern California Trojan men's tennis team for its victory in the 2010 National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Men's Tennis Championship; and **Pages H6643–45**

*Expressing support for designation of the week beginning September 19, 2010, as “National Hispanic-Serving Institutions Week”:* H. Res. 1611, to express support for designation of the week beginning September 19, 2010, as “National Hispanic-Serving Institutions Week”. **Pages H6645–46**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 3:50 p.m. and reconvened at 6 p.m. **Page H6646**

**Suspension—Proceedings Postponed:** The House debated the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed:

*Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001:* H. Res. 1610, to express the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001. **Pages H6631–35**

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on pages H6629.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H6647, H6647–48. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2010

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

#### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* to hold hearings to examine the National Organic Law at 20, focusing on sowing seeds for a bright future, 10 a.m., SR–328A.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine covered bonds, focusing on potential uses and regulatory issues, 10 a.m., SD–538.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* to hold hearings to examine the federal role in national rail policy, 2 p.m., SR–253.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine banking reform, focusing on capital increase proposals from multilateral development banks, 10 a.m., SD–419.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* to resume hearings to examine nuclear terrorism, focusing on strengthening our domestic defenses, 10 a.m., SD–342.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* to hold hearings to examine prohibiting obscene animal crush videos in the wake of “United States v. Stevens”, 10 a.m., SD–226.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Susan L. Carney, of Connecticut, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, Amy Totenberg, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, James Emanuel Boasberg, and Amy Berman Jackson, both to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia, and James E. Shadid, and Sue E. Myerscough, both to be United States District Judge for the Central District of Illinois, 2 p.m., SD–226.

*Impeachment Trial Committee (Porteous):* to continue hearings to examine the Articles Against Judge G. Thomas Porteous, Jr, 8 a.m., SH–216.

#### House

*Committee on Energy and Commerce.* Subcommittee on Health, hearing entitled “Medicare’s Competitive Bidding Program for Durable Medical Equipment: Implications for Quality, Cost and Access,” 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health, hearing on the following public health measures: H.R. 211, Calling for 2–1–1 Act of 2009; H.R. 758, Pediatric Research Consortia Establishment Act; H.R. 1032, Heart Disease Education, Analysis Research, and Treatment For Women Act; H.R. 1210, Arthritis Prevention, Control, and Cure Act of 2009; H.R. 1230, Bone Marrow Failure Disease Research and Treatment Act of 2009; H.R. 1362, National MS and Parkinson’s Disease Registries Act; H.R. 1995, Eliminating Disparities in Diabetes Prevention Access and Care Act of 2009; H.R. 2408, Scleroderma Research and Awareness Act; H.R. 2818, Methamphetamine Education, Treatment, and Hope Act of 2009; H.R. 2941, To reauthorize and enhance Johanna’s Law to increase public awareness and knowledge with respect to gynecologic cancers; H.R. 2999, Veterinary Public Health Workforce and Education Act; H.R. 5354, Gestational Diabetes Act of 2009; H.R. 5462, Birth Defects Prevention, Risk Reduction, and Awareness Act of 2010; H.R. 5986, Neglected Infections of Impoverished Americans Act of 2010; H.R. 6012, To direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to review uptake and utilization of diabetes screening benefits and establish an outreach program with respect to such benefits; H.R. 6081, Stem Cell Therapeutic and Research Reauthorization Act of 2010; the Telehealth Improvement and Expansion Act of 2010; and the Health Data Collection Improvement Act, 4 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services,* Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises, hearing entitled “The Future of Housing Finance: A Progress Update on the GSEs,” 9:30 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Homeland Security,* hearing entitled “The Evolving Nature of Terrorism—Nine Years after the 9/11 Attacks,” 10 a.m., 311 Cannon.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 1521, Cell Tax Fairness Act of 2009; H.R. 4677, Protecting Employees and Retirees in Business Bankruptcies Act of 2010; and H.R. 5043, Private Student Loan Bankruptcy Fairness Act of 2010, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security, hearing on Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking, 1 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Rules,* to consider H.R. 4785, Rural Energy Savings Program Act, 4 p.m., H–313 Capitol.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure,* hearing on Enbridge Pipeline Oil Spill in Marshall, Michigan, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs,* to mark up the following: Draft Legislation; H.R. 3685, To require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to include on the main page of the Internet website of the Department of Veterans Affairs a hyperlink to the VetSuccess Internet website and to publicize such Internet website; H.R. 5360, Blinded Veterans Adaptive Housing Improvement Act of 2010; H.R. 5630, To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for qualifications for vocational rehabilitation counselors and